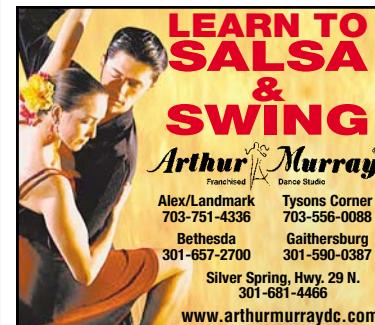


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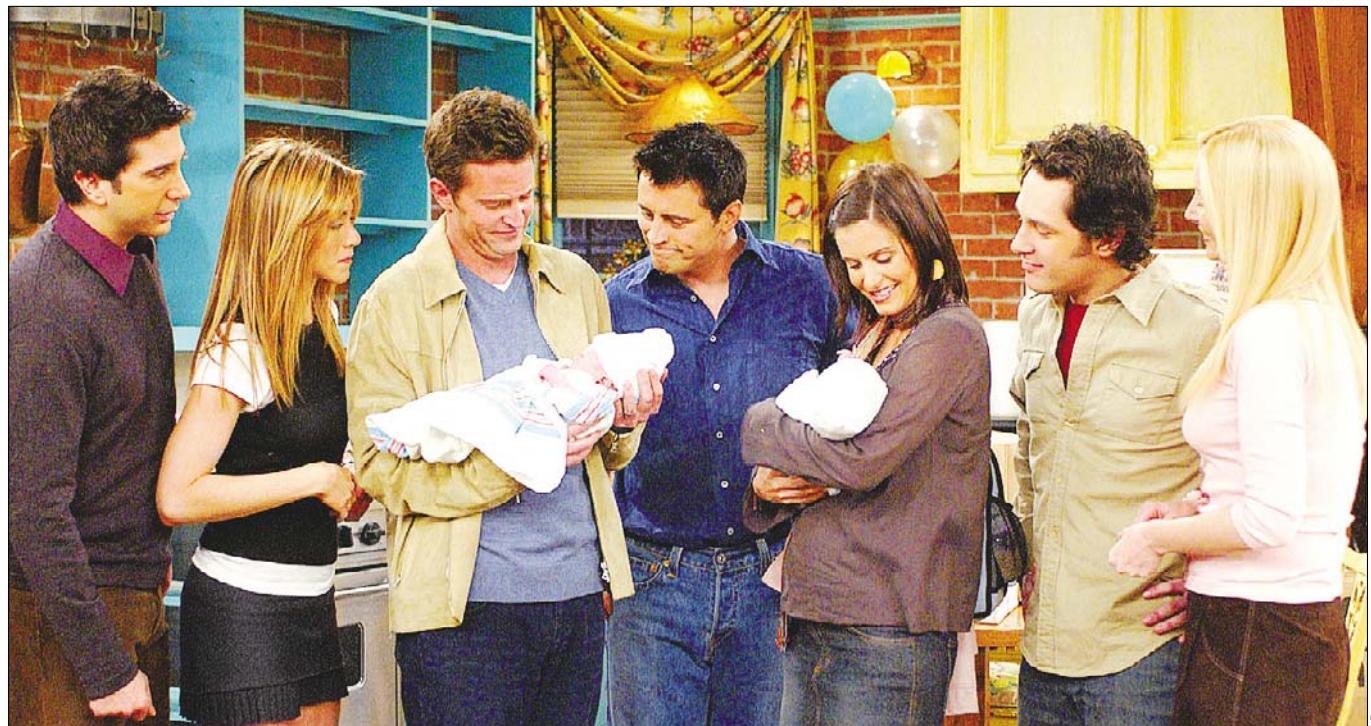
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#### LONG GOODBYES | 'FRIENDS' FOREVER ... AND EVER



**THE ONE WHERE** ... the friends end up in a jail cell together, convicted for rent-control fraud and vapid self-absorption. Or was that a different show? After 10 years on top, NBC's "Friends" bowed out Thursday night. ♦ **They're gone:** Chat your pain away at 11 a.m. today on [washingtonpost.com/liveonline](http://washingtonpost.com/liveonline)

## Bush: Rumsfeld Will Stay

President apologizes for abuses, stands by defense secretary

WASHINGTON | President Bush, struggling to control a growing crisis, apologized Thursday for the abuse of Iraqi prisoners by American soldiers and called it "a stain on our country's honor." He rejected calls for Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld's resignation but complained about Rumsfeld's handling of the controversy.

"He'll stay in my Cabinet," Bush declared, a day after White House officials spread word that the president was upset at the secretary for not alerting him about damaging pictures. Some Republicans on Capitol Hill privately questioned whether Rumsfeld could survive

and were angry that he had not shared information with them.

Usually loath to acknowledge mistakes or to apologize, Bush spoke up in the Rose Garden after meeting with Jordan's King Abdullah II.

"I told him I was sorry for the humiliation suffered by the Iraqi prisoners and the humiliation suffered by their families," the president said. "I told him I was equally sorry that people who have been seeing those pictures didn't understand the true nature and

heart of America."

With the reputation and credibility of the United States on the line, the controversy was inflamed by graphic new pictures in The Washington Post. One showed a naked man on a cellblock floor, his neck in a leash held by a female American GI.

Attorney General John Ashcroft said the Justice Department was ready to prosecute any civilians or former military personnel suspected of criminal conduct. TERENCE HUNT (AP)



Bush

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**UNDER THE SEA | Songs for All Seasons** The male humpback whale is believed to sing its mysterious songs mainly for the same reason teenage boys start bad garage bands: to get girls. Researchers had thought the ocean crooners were



naded their ladies only during their winter mating season in the tropics. Now scientists know the humpbacks also use tunes to woo females during springtime in New England, when they're supposed to be focused on eating. (AP) **EyeOpeners** | Page 2

# EyeOpeners

## ON THE ROAD

**Slick Track**

Hundreds of gallons of cooking oil spilled from a truck carrying the substance away from restaurants Wednesday, causing dozens of vehicles to skid and slip across a Palm Beach County, Fla., roadway. Officials closed a quarter-mile portion of Palmetto Park Road for nearly seven hours while they used cat litter, sand and cement to clean up the greasy surface. "It was like walking on ice," said sheriff's Sgt. David Combs, who added the area smelled like french fries. (AP)

## HEARSAY | CLOSE CALL

"Imagine jumping off a cliff or getting to the bottom on a roller coaster. That's how it felt."

—TOM MCANALLY

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RON CAMPBELL/JOHNSON CITY PRESS/AP

## ANIMAL WATCH

**Pipe Problem**

A little flexibility and a dash of curiosity became a recipe for trouble this week for a dog named Sparky in Johnson City, Tenn. The 4-month-old German Shepherd was sniffing around a section of PVC pipe in the fenced-in backyard of owner Rebekah Wallace when the pup strayed just a little too far inside the foot-long pipe—and got stuck. Wallace rushed Sparky to the animal hospital, where veterinarians sedated her and cut the pipe away, the Johnson City Press reported Thursday. Wallace told the Press that Sparky's feeling much better now. (EXPRESS)

## DIRECTIONS

**Skip to the Loo**

When finicky tourists in Singapore hear nature's call, they'll know where to go. The city-state is publishing maps pinpointing its 500 cleanest public toilets in its drive to wipe dirty lavatories off the face of the island, an official said Thursday. The toilet maps will indicate the cleanest and best-equipped restrooms for the benefit of tourists and shoppers, said Jack Sim, a found-

ing member of the Singapore-based World Toilet Organization and president of the Restroom Association of Singapore. The city-state started rating public lavatories in its "Happy Toilet" campaign last June—using a five-star system similar to that used to grade hotels. A "Happy Toilet" is one that's rated three-stars or more. The maps are expected to be available for free at the international airport and information counters by August. (AP)

## HAPPY RETURNS

**A Turtle's Gratitude**

It may look like aquarist Paul Baker is getting a bit of attitude from a green sea turtle, but it's probably more like a love slap. Baker and others from Australia's Sydney Aquarium were working Thursday to release two turtles into the ocean off Sydney Heads. The turtle, weighing more than 110 pounds, was found stranded on a Sydney beach five months ago and rehabilitated in the aquarium, Reuters reported. And, apparently, this is how it shows its appreciation. (EXPRESS)



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## In Brief

**WASHINGTON**  
**Probe Into Spanish Bombings Leads to Arrest of Ore. Man**

A Portland, Ore., man was arrested by FBI agents Thursday as part of the investigation into the deadly train bombings in Spain, federal officials said. The unidentified man, a U.S. citizen, was taken into custody on a material witness warrant, said a senior law enforcement official, speaking on condition of anonymity. The arrest is the first known in the United States with connections to the March 11 bombings. (AP)

**BOSTON**  
**Catholic Church Defrocks Priest at Center of Scandal**

Paul Shanley, a central figure in the child-molestation scandal that engulfed the Boston Archdiocese, has been defrocked, along with another priest imprisoned for raping a 12-year-old boy, the church announced Thursday. Shanley, 73, is awaiting trial on charges of raping four boys at a parish in Newton in the 1980s. He is free on \$300,000 bail. His trial is set for October. (AP)

**PITTSBURGH**  
**Methodist Conservatives Considering Split Over Gays**

United Methodist evangelicals said Thursday that their church should split after three decades of discord over homosexuality, signaling a deep rift in the nation's third-largest denomination. No schism is imminent, however. A breakup would involve complex negotiations over billions of dollars in assets. (AP)

# Embattled Rumsfeld Heads to the Hill

## Defense chief to testify about Iraq prison abuses

**WASHINGTON** | President Bush said Thursday that Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld "will stay in my Cabinet" despite Democratic calls for his departure over abusive treatment of Iraqi prisoners by American military guards.

"Secretary Rumsfeld has served our nation well," Bush told reporters in an appearance in the White House Rose Garden. "Secretary Rumsfeld has been the secretary during two wars, and he is an important part of my Cabinet."

Bush's unambiguous endorse-

ment came as Rumsfeld was preparing for what promises to be two contentious sessions with congressional committees on Friday. The defense secretary scrapped his only scheduled public appearance Thursday to prepare his testimony.

Gen. Richard Myers, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, returned early from a European trip to get ready for the appearance with Rumsfeld.

A growing list of Democrats in Congress said Rumsfeld should resign, be fired, or even impeached.

House Democratic Leader Nancy Pelosi told reporters she believes Rumsfeld must go, then issued a statement that said, "The abuses could have been prevented with proper leadership at the top of the chain of command."

Sen. Tom Harkin, D-Iowa, issued a statement saying, "For the good of our country, the safety of our troops, and our image around the globe, Secretary Rumsfeld should resign."

Sen. John Kerry of Massachu-



Rumsfeld

sets, the Democratic presidential nominee-in-waiting, also jabbed at Bush on the issue. In an appearance in California, Kerry said, "As president I will not be the last to know what is going on in my command. I will demand accountability for those who serve, and I will take responsibility for their actions."

JOHN J. LUMPKIN (AP)

**On the hot seat:** Rumsfeld prepares to take heat for the prison scandal | Today's Washington Post, A Section

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**DAY OF PRAYER | UPLIFTED**



**GROUP REFLECTION:** Hope Boyd, center, of Fresno, Calif., joins with others in the crowd as they lift their hands in prayer during a National Day of Prayer observance at Fresno City Hall on Thursday. People across the country marked the day with private prayers and group gatherings.



**BY THE NUMBERS:** Forty-seven percent of registered voters say the removal of Saddam Hussein was not worth the cost in money or in lives, while 42% said it was, according to an NBC News-Wall Street Journal poll. (AP)

# FDA Rejects Over-Counter Sale Of Morning-After Pill

**WASHINGTON** | The government rejected over-the-counter sales of morning-after birth control on Thursday because of concern about young teenagers' use of the pills. But regulators left open the possibility they will reconsider.

The Food and Drug Administration was under intense political pressure from both sides on whether to lift the prescription requirement for emergency contraception. Conservatives argued doing so could encourage unsafe

sex. Proponents said easier access to the pills could prevent thousands of abortions — and the FDA's own scientific advisers had overwhelmingly backed the change.

But in a letter to Barr Laboratories late Thursday, the FDA said there was no evidence teens younger than 16 could safely use the pills without a doctor's guidance — and it thus was rejecting the move until Barr could provide that evidence.

LAURAN NEERGAARD (AP)

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## Nation

# FAA Destroyed 9/11 Tape

Recording contained  
air traffic controllers'  
reactions to attacks

WASHINGTON | Air traffic controllers who handled two of the hijacked flights on Sept. 11, 2001, recorded their experiences shortly after the planes crashed, but a supervisor destroyed the tape, the government said Thursday.

A report by Transportation Department Inspector General Kenneth Mead said the manager for the New York air traffic control center asked the controllers to record

their experiences a few hours after the crashes, believing they would be important for law enforcement.

Sometime between December 2001 and February 2002, an unidentified Federal Aviation Administration quality assurance manager crushed the cassette case in his hand, cut the tape into small pieces and threw them away in multiple trash cans, the report said.

The manager said he destroyed the tape because he felt it violated FAA policy calling for written

statements from controllers who have handled a plane involved in an accident or other serious incident. He also said he felt the controllers weren't in the right frame of mind to have consented to the taping, the report said.

The report was sent to Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., who asked the inspector general to look into how well the FAA was cooperating with the independent panel investigating the Sept. 11 attacks.

LESLIE MILLER (AP)

**Silenced:** Why an FAA manager decided to erase the flight controllers' 9/11 discussion tape, and what may have been lost | Today's Washington Post, A Section.

### IN MEMORIAM | TEARS AND HOPE



RICH PEDRONCELLI/AP

**NEXT GENERATION:** California Highway Patrol Officer Thomas Coon uses his hat to shade 5-month-old Brody Distel, following ceremonies Thursday in West Sacramento, Calif., honoring CHP officers killed in the line of duty. Brody's father, Shannon Distel, was killed in a motorcycle crash last year.

## Low Marks for Women's Health Care

WASHINGTON | More than one-quarter of American women have high blood pressure and nearly one-fifth lack health insurance, according to a study released Thursday that says federal and state governments fail to meet women's health needs.

The country meets just two of 27 health measures established by the federal government, the report by the National Women's Law Center found: the percentage of women who receive mammograms and see a dentist annually. (AP)

### TREATING WOMEN

A new report rates the health care that states and the federal government give to women. Among the findings:

- Black and Hispanic women fared far worse than white women.
- Coronary heart disease kills 210.6 women per 100,000 in D.C. and 84.5 in Hawaii.
- Almost 29 percent of women in Texas are uninsured.

Measure is at center of legal battle over woman with brain damage

TAMPA, FLA. | A law pushed through by Gov. Jeb Bush to keep a severely brain-damaged woman alive was struck down by a Florida judge Thursday in the latest turn in one of the United States' longest and most hard-fought right-to-die cases.

The governor's office filed an immediate appeal.

Circuit Judge W. Douglas Baird ruled that Terri's Law, named after Terri Schiavo, is unconstitutional because it violates the disabled woman's right to privacy and delegates legislative power to the governor.

The law was passed in October, just days after the removal of a feeding tube that has helped keep Schiavo alive for more than a decade. Bush immediately invoked the new law to order the feeding tube reinserted.

The tube will remain in place while Bush pursues his appeal.

Schiavo's husband, Michael, has fought a long court battle to remove the feeding tube and carry out what he said were his wife's wishes not to be kept alive artificially. The dispute has pitted him against his in-laws, who say her condition could improve.

VICKIE CHACHEIRE (AP)

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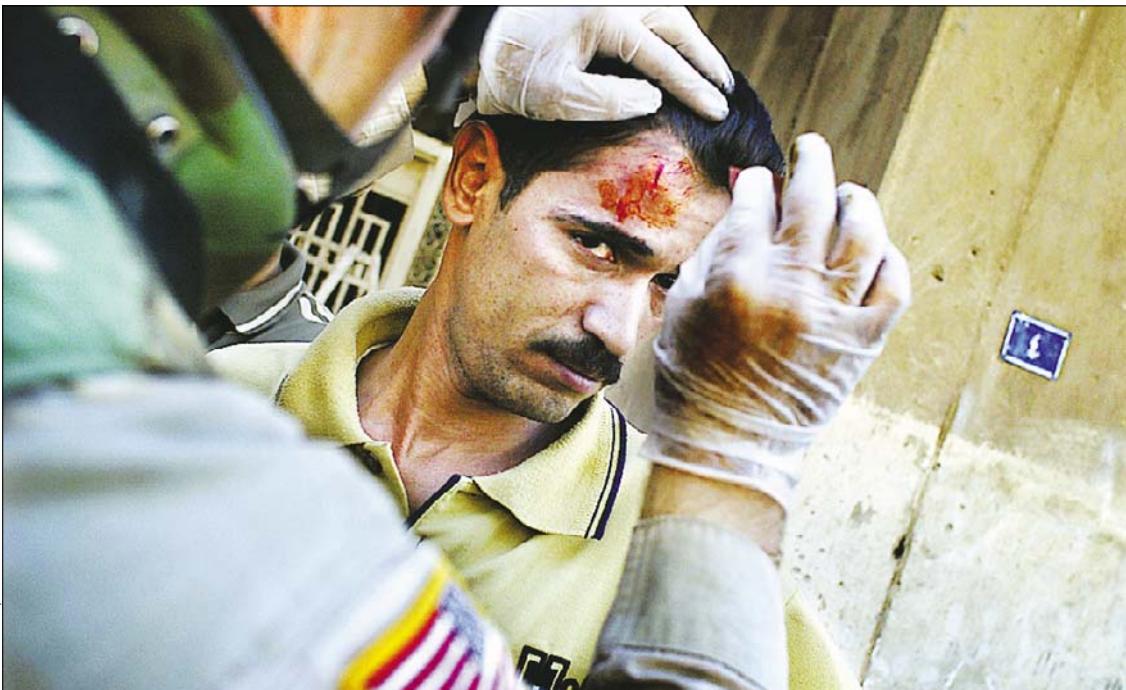
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# **World**



**FIRST AID:** A U.S. soldier helps an injured Iraqi man in Baghdad on Thursday after a suicide car bomber killed five Iraqi civilians and a U.S. soldier at the edge of the heavily guarded Green Zone that houses the U.S. administrative headquarters.

## **Troops Repel Shiite Militia**

**U.S. soldiers recapture governor's office in Najaf**

NAJAF, IRAQ | U.S. soldiers seized the governor's office Thursday in the holy city of Najaf, wresting control from Shiite militiamen loyal to a radical cleric in battles that left an estimated 40 insurgents dead.

Militiamen for anti-American cleric Muqtada al-Sadr dug in in Najaf. An increased number of fighters were seen in the city center as the militia attempted to regroup following the loss of the governor's office.

"We will fight until the last drop of our blood," said one fighter.

The fighting came as U.S. administrator L. Paul Bremer announced the appointment of Adnan al-Zurufi as governor of Najaf province, part of the campaign to regain control of the area. Al-Sadr's militia seized government and police buildings throughout the province on April 4.

The United States is planning to hand some sovereignty to a transitional Iraqi government June 30

and is looking to end al-Sadr's uprising, which has left parts of southern Iraq outside of coalition control.

Moderate Shiite leaders have called on al-Sadr's militiamen to abandon Najaf, making it easier for U.S. forces to act against him.

"I think we are going to gain momentum from now on," said Lt. Michael Watson, an Army platoon leader in Najaf. (AP)

**Time warp in Fallujah:** The gunfire has died down. Shops are open again. And Iraqi soldiers in Saddam-era uniforms abound | Today's Post: Section A

## **Red Cross, Iraqi Group Say They Cited Prison Abuse**

BAGHDAD | Iraq's oldest human rights group and the Red Cross said Thursday that they complained repeatedly last year about maltreatment of Iraqi prisoners, long before the U.S. Army began investigating abuse allegations in January.

The Human Rights Organization in Iraq said it got little response from U.S. administrators, although the Red Cross said officials made some changes after it pointed to specific practices at Abu Ghraib prison.

Adel al-Allami said his group tried for months last year to get an

audience with U.S. officials. The group got a meeting three weeks ago. "The treatment of these issues has not been positive at all," he said.

Red Cross teams have been visiting Abu Ghraib every five or six weeks since last year, spokeswoman Nada Doumani said.

"We were aware of what was going on, and based on our findings we have repeatedly requested the U.S. authorities to take corrective action," she said, adding that Red Cross regulations prevented her from being specific. (AP)

### **OTHER DEVELOPMENTS**

→ **John Negroponte** won easy Senate confirmation Thursday as the U.S. ambassador to Iraq. The vote was 95-3. Negroponte is expected to take up his post after the U.S. hands over political power to Iraqis..

→ **Britain's Ministry of Defense** confirmed a BBC-TV report that a soldier who has served in Iraq had gone to the Royal Military Police with allegations of mistreatment of prisoners.

→ **An Internet statement** signed by a group linked to al Qaeda claimed responsibility for a suicide car bomb in Baghdad outside the U.S. headquarters. The group's alleged leader, Jordanian Abu Musab al-Zarqawi, is wanted by the U.S. for organizing militants to fight U.S. troops in Iraq. (AP)



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# World

## 6 in Libya Get Death In HIV Case

BENGHAZI, LIBYA | Libya sentenced five Bulgarian nurses and a Palestinian doctor on Thursday to death by firing squad, saying they intentionally infected more than 400 children with the AIDS virus in an experiment to find a cure.

Bulgaria's justice minister called the verdicts "absurd." Some human rights groups say Libya concocted the experiment story to cover up unsafe hospital practices and charged that Libya extracted confessions from the health workers by torture.

Death sentences generate an automatic appeal in Libya, and European leaders suggested they were exerting pressure on the government of Moammar Gadhafi to reverse the verdicts.

Dr. Luc Montagnier, the French co-discoverer of the AIDS virus, said poor hygiene at the Benghazi hospital likely led to the contamination. He estimated it happened in 1997 — more than a year before the Bulgarians were hired.

But a commission of court-appointed Libyan doctors rejected the Western expert's testimony and said the Bulgarians willfully infected the children. KHALED AL-DEEB (AP)

**DEMAND & SUPPLY:** Free spending on prostitutes by NATO-led peacekeepers and U.N. officials has fueled the trafficking of women in Kosovo, Amnesty International said Thursday. (AP)

## Bush Retools Mideast Line

### No mention of Israel's right to keep settlements

WASHINGTON | President Bush responded Thursday to complaints in the Arab world and Europe that he sides with Israel, urging the Israelis to withdraw from territory they captured in the 1967 Mideast war and turn it over to the Palestinians for a state.

After meeting at the White House with King Abdullah of Jordan, Bush also promised not to "prejudice the outcome" of negotiations with the Palestinians.

At a joint news conference with the king, Bush did not repeat the

assurances he gave Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon last month that he supports Israel's retention of some settlements on the West Bank as part of an overall agreement with the Palestinians.

Bush said all such issues must be negotiated against the backdrop of U.N. Security Council resolutions of 1967 and 1973 that called on Israel to withdraw from captured land. He said he was committed to the establishment of a Palestinian state and he echoed Arab demands that it be viable and contiguous.

Only a few weeks earlier, the president publicly supported Israel's retention of some population clusters on the West Bank and backed Israel in opposing the settlement of Palestinian refugees in Israel. He said "new realities" had emerged since the end of the Six-Day war — a clear reference to the 225,000 Israeli Jews in the West Bank.

Bush reaffirmed his endorsement of Sharon's plan to withdraw all Israeli troops and 7,500 Jewish settlers from Gaza and to pull out of parts of the West Bank, saying it was a "bold plan" that could lead to Palestinian statehood. (AP)

### VIETNAM | COLONIAL DEFEAT



**ERA'S END:** Performers rehearse for Friday's celebration of the 50th anniversary of the defeat of French forces. On May 7, 1954, Viet Minh forces overran the French garrison at Dien Bien Phu after a 56-day siege, forcing France to abandon its colonial control of Indochina.

## Ukrainian Police Seize 'Dirty Bomb' Material, Arrest 3

KIEV, UKRAINE | Ukrainian security forces seized nearly 375 pounds of cesium-137, a highly radioactive material seen as a likely ingredient for a "dirty bomb," and arrested three people, authorities said Thursday.

The three men were from the southern city of Simferopol on the Crimean peninsula, police spokesman Yuriy Kondratyev said. An unspecified number of people were detained throughout Ukraine.

Police and state security agents acted on a tip-off that two buyers from the Ukrainian capital, Kiev, were ready to purchase cesium at an estimated price of \$60,000 per container, Kondratyev said. (AP)

## In Brief

### MIDEAST Arafat Boosts Defenses At West Bank Headquarters

Fearing Israel will snatch him, Yasser Arafat fortified his West Bank headquarters with hundreds of concrete-filled barrels and wrecked cars Thursday. One senior Israeli official said Arafat and his aides are being "hysterical" and there are no immediate plans to seize Arafat. (AP)



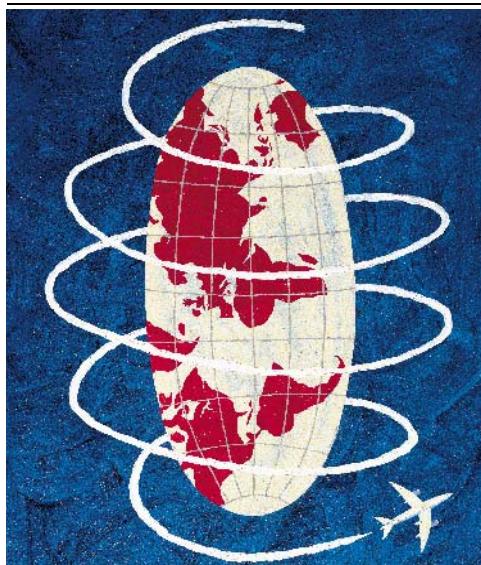
Arafat

### EGYPT Bin Laden Said to Offer Gold For Killing U.S., U.N. Leaders

An audio recording attributed to Osama bin Laden offered rewards in gold Thursday for the killing of top U.S. and U.N. officials in Iraq. The 20-minute recording, dated Thursday, appeared on two Web sites known for militant Islamic messages. The voice sounded like that of bin Laden, but the authenticity of the recording could not immediately be verified. (AP)

### NIGERIA 500 Dead After Christian Tribe Attacks Muslim Village

Attacks by militants from a predominantly Christian tribe left at least 500 people dead in a mainly Muslim village of Yelwa in central Nigeria, a senior Red Cross official said Thursday. The killings are part of a cycle of conflict rocking the region since an outburst in September 2001 pitted Christians against Muslims in the once-peaceful city of Jos. (AP)



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Mid-day DC 4	<b>2-2-7-0</b>
Evening DC 4	<b>8-4-0-2</b>
Quick Cash	<b>39-14-3-2-9-5</b>
Hot Five	<b>6-25-24-31-28</b>
Hot Lotto (Wed.)	<b>7-14-16-22-33 (6)</b>

**MARYLAND**

Mid-day Pick 3	<b>2-0-7</b>
Evening Pick 3	<b>0-9-0</b>
Mid-day Pick 4	<b>6-5-5-9</b>
Evening Pick 4	<b>9-5-5-2</b>
Match 5	<b>3-14-25-26-33 Bonus: 21</b>
Lotto (Wed.)	<b>9-13-16-22-26-40</b>

**VIRGINIA**

Mid-day Pick 3 (Thurs.)	<b>8-0-1</b>
Evening Pick 3 (Wed.)	<b>4-7-4</b>
Mid-day Pick 4 (Thurs.)	<b>5-0-8-5</b>
Evening Pick 4 (Wed.)	<b>7-5-8-9</b>
Mid-day Cash 5 (Thurs.)	<b>I-3-12-14-17</b>
Evening Cash 5 (Wed.)	<b>I-12-15-21-33</b>
Lotto South (Wed.)	<b>20-37-40-42-43-44</b>

**MULTI-STATE GAMES**

Powerball (Wed.)	<b>9-16-21-25-32 (8)</b>
Power Play	<b>3</b>

All winning numbers are official only when validated at a lottery ticket location or a lottery claims office. Drawings that occur after Express's deadline will be published two days later.

# D.C. Mayor Makes Baseball Pitch

**MLB chief: League is 'serious' about Washington**

WASHINGTON | Baseball officials wanted to know where the money is coming from. City officials candidly wanted to know if baseball is serious about locating in Washington.

When it was over, both sides gave positive reviews to Thursday's meeting, in which Mayor Anthony A. Williams explained his new plan for a 100 percent taxpayer-funded

stadium if the Montreal Expos are moved to the nation's capital.

"If we weren't serious about Washington, D.C., we would not be here," Major League Baseball executive vice president John McHale Jr., said in a rare public statement.

Members of the relocation committee met with Williams and city

officials, including three members of the D.C. Council, which would have to approve stadium financing.

Councilmember Jack Evans wanted frank answers from baseball on two fronts. Is Washington again being used as a pawn to attract other cities? And will baseball yield

to Baltimore owner Peter Angelos's contention that Washington should not have a team because it is part of the Orioles' market?

Evans said he received assurances on both fronts, but he added: "I still don't believe the Angelos story."

Baseball has been trying to relocate the Expos since the struggling franchise was purchased by the 29 other teams before the 2002 season. JOSEPH WHITE (AP)

## Md. Voters May Decide Slots Fate

ANNAPOLIS, MD. | A plan to let voters decide in November whether to legalize slot machines in Maryland is being considered by legislative leaders, raising the possibility of a special session this summer to debate the contentious issue.

House Speaker Michael Busch and Senate President Thomas V. Mike Miller discussed the proposal Monday, and Miller plans to bring up the idea with Gov. Robert Ehrlich.

But Busch said that the talks are only "in an embryonic stage." (AP)

## Old Bombs Discovered Near Tunnel

BALTIMORE | Federal and state officials have launched a criminal investigation to determine how 12 post-World War II and Vietnam-era bombs ended up in an old ship-scraping site near the Baltimore Harbor Tunnel.

The discovery of the old bombs Wednesday evening forced the closure of the tunnel for nearly seven hours before authorities examined and removed 11 of the bombs.

Those bombs arrived at Aberdeen Proving Ground for disposal by 6:45 a.m. Thursday.



World War II and Vietnam-era bombs were sent to Aberdeen, Md., on Thursday.

The 12th bomb was taken to Fort McNair in Washington, D.C., after members of the Navy's 767th Explosive Ordnance Disposal unit used X-ray equipment and a neutron spectroscopy machine to determine that all the bombs did not contain high explosive materials.

Investigators hope to discover who was last responsible for the military ordnance, how they were disposed of and how they should have been disposed of, Maryland Transportation Authority spokesman Bryon N. Johnston said. WILEY HALL (AP)

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# Money

# Fed Chief Sounds Alarm on Deficit

**Greenspan says day of reckoning is coming, urges political action**

WASHINGTON | Huge federal budget deficits threaten the nation's long-term economic stability, Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan said Thursday as he raised new concerns about financing Social Security and Medicare.

A day of reckoning will come, Greenspan warned, because there is no "free lunch."

Greenspan used a speech to a banking conference in Chicago to make the case again that this year's presidential campaign should address reforms of those massive entitlement programs.

Both President Bush and John Kerry have said they will deal with

the budget shortfalls. But unlike Greenspan, the candidates have avoided suggesting that benefits cuts are needed.

Greenspan told the conference that he was more concerned about the economic impact of budget deficits than the soaring trade deficit or record levels of household debt.

Normal economic forces will handle the trade deficit and household debt problems, he said, but "the yawning fiscal deficit" will require political action to bring it under control. The Bush administration estimates the federal deficit will reach a record \$521 billion this year.

Greenspan did not offer specific solutions to the budget problem. But he previously has suggested raising the retirement age or scaling back the annual cost of living adjustments in Social Security. (AP)

## In Brief

### MEDIA

#### Ads Boost News Corp. Profit

News Corp., the media company controlled by Rupert Murdoch, reported a 69 percent jump in quarterly profit Thursday, driven by advertising gains at its Fox television division and at Fox News Channel. News Corp. earned \$465 million in its third fiscal quarter ending March 31, up from \$275 million a year ago. Murdoch also said Thursday the company planned to launch a new Fox channel by year's end. (AP)

### CONSUMERS

#### Gas Prices Slow Spending

Higher prices for gasoline and food cut into consumers' spending in April, slowing a three-month shopping spree. The International Council of Shopping Centers-UBS sales tally for 72 retailers was up 4.4 percent from the previous year, below the expected 5 percent gain. (AP)

### AUTOMAKERS

#### Big 3 Roll Out Incentives

Detroit's Big Three automakers are beefing up offerings in hopes of giving a boost to the critical spring selling season. General Motors Corp. added a new \$1,000 cash-back incentive Thursday to mid-size sport utility vehicles. GM's new offer comes a day after rivals Ford Motor Co. and DaimlerChrysler AG's Chrysler Group both added incentives on some of their SUVs. (AP)

## Wife of Enron CFO Gets 1 Year in Prison

HOUSTON | The wife of former Enron finance chief Andrew Fastow pleaded guilty Thursday to helping her husband hide some of his ill-gotten gains and was sentenced to the maximum of one year in prison.

The plea came after months of legal wrangling in which the Fastows sought to minimize Lea Fastow's

time away from their two children. The judge turned aside pleas to give Lea Fastow only a few months in prison on the misdemeanor charge of filing a false tax form.

Lea Fastow, 42, was a former assistant treasurer at Enron, but the case involved her role in her and her husband's tax filings. (AP)

## Market Action

### New York Stock Exchange

#### Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
RehabCG	23.51	+1.81	+8.3
WMS	30.65	+1.99	+6.9
IMCO	10.05	.55	+5.8
GpoRadio	4.40	+.23	+5.5
SunriseSen	35.10	+1.55	+4.6

#### Losers

Hillenbd	56.75	-10.85	-16.1
KingPhrm	14.72	-2.22	-13.1
MetrisCos	6.45	-.75	-10.4
HarvNRes	15.14	-1.38	-8.4
CorusGr	6.29	-.57	-8.3

#### Rates

Prime Rate	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK	TODAY	PREVIOUS DAY	YEAR AGO
Fed Funds close	1.00	1.00	British Pound	.5571	.5577
3-month	0.98	0.97	Canadian Dollar	1.3766	1.3748
2-year	2.38	2.36	European Euro	.8282	.8216
10-year	4.60	4.54	Japanese Yen	109.72	108.65
30-year	5.37	5.32	Mexican Peso	11.4411	11.3925
			Taiwanese Dollar	33.19	33.25
				34.75	

### NASDAQ Stock Market

#### Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
MGP Ingr	34.65	+8.16	+30.8
UFP Tch	3.04	+.66	+27.7
ChinaRes	7.60	+1.41	+22.8
CompCrd	18.30	+3.17	+21.0
AsystTch	8.40	+1.45	+20.9

#### Losers

Zix Corp	8.89	-2.60	-22.6
Allscripts	7.89	-1.96	-19.9
MaceSec rs	4.81	-1.11	-18.8
BluCoat	39.26	-8.30	-17.5
Gemstar	4.76	-.95	-16.6

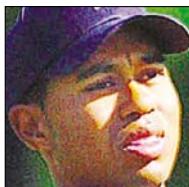
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DOW	NASDAQ	S&P 500
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### Pharmacy Stocks

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	YEAR TO DATE PERCENT CHANGE
Allergan	87.33	-.67	+13.7
AstraZen	48.33	-.96	-1
BarrPhm s	43.80	-.47	-14.6
BrMySq	26.18	+.13	-8.5
ForestLab	66.30	-.42	+7.3
IvaxCp	22.75	+.25	-4.7
JohnJn	54.84	+.76	+6.2
LillyEli	76.26	+.93	+8.4
Merck	48.11	+.30	+4.1
Mylan s	22.92	-.15	-9.3
Pfizer	36.55	-.08	+3.5
SchergPl	16.66	-.04	-4.2
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# SportsWeekend



**HERE WE GO AGAIN:** The Philadelphia Flyers reached their 14th conference final in the NHL's expansion era with their victory over the Toronto Maple Leafs on Tuesday.

## The Ice Ceiling

Flyers look to end 29-year Stanley Cup drought

**NHL PLAYOFFS** | When the Philadelphia Flyers last won the Stanley Cup in 1975, there were 18 NHL teams in the league and none in Tampa, San Jose or Calgary.

Now, those three newcomers are looking to make Philadelphia's drought another year longer.

The Flyers knocked out the Toronto Maple Leafs on Tuesday night, by winning Game 6 in overtime, and will face the Tampa Bay Lightning in the Eastern Conference finals starting Saturday.

Jeremy Roenick's game-winning goal popped the water bottle off the top of the net less than an hour before the San Jose Sharks reached their first conference finals appearance by eliminating Colorado.

That set up a matchup with the Calgary Flames, who haven't been this far since they won it all in 1989.

Toronto, an Original Six club that hasn't lifted the Cup since 1967, and Colorado, which has two titles in

nine seasons since leaving Quebec, are out. The Lightning are making their conference finals debut and have the best record of the remaining teams.

The Flyers have reached the conference finals 14 times in the expansion era, tying Montreal for the most appearances.

Calgary has some history to fall back on. The Flames lost in the semi-finals in 1981, their first season after relocating from Atlanta, and reached the finals in 1988 — one year before their only championship.

Since that title, they hadn't

won a playoff series until beating third-seeded Vancouver in this year's first round. Following that with a stunning six-game victory over Presidents' Trophy-winning Detroit.

Their opponent, the Sharks, seemed poised to reach this level a year ago. But a run of five straight seasons with an improved record ended with a major thud when San Jose finished 14th in the 15-team Western Conference.

That all changed this year when they racked up 104 points, the third most in the NHL.

"We're both young teams, we both have great leadership, both have great goaltending, we're both very disciplined," Flames coach Darryl Sutter said. "They didn't win their division by accident, that's for sure." IRA PODELL (AP)

**GIMMICKS** | **Are They Out of Pizza?** There's a new way to get tickets to Detroit Tigers games — spend 30 minutes awaiting care in a hospital emergency room. The Detroit Medical Center promises patients at its emergency rooms that they will be seen by a doctor in 29 minutes or less. Anyone not seen by then gets a choice of tickets to the Tigers, New



Detroit Science Center or Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History. "It's carved in stone, and it is a symbol of the DMC," chief executive Mike Duggan said Monday. Duggan said the company needs to compete with other area health systems for patients. His 29-minute initiative copies similar programs at other hospitals in the area. (AP)

## TV Lineup

→ **ROUND 2:** The Nets and Pistons resume their playoff series Friday (8 p.m. on ESPN) and Sunday (8 p.m. on TNT). Saturday's double header includes Game 2 of the Pacers-Heat series (7 p.m. on ESPN) and Game 2 of the Kings-Timberwolves series (9:30 p.m. on ESPN). Sunday also features Game 3 of the Lakers-Spurs series (3:30 p.m. on ABC).

→ **STARTER:** Freddy Adu, who probably cracked the starting lineup for good last week, tries to lead D.C. United to their first win in a month when playing against the Columbus Crew Saturday (7:30 p.m. on Comcast).



Adu

→ **FINALLY:** The NHL conference finals start Saturday (3 p.m. on ABC) with the Philadelphia Flyers-Tampa Bay Lightning series. On Sunday (4 p.m. on ESPN), the San Jose Sharks and Calgary Flames start their series.

→ **CHARMED:** The Cleveland Indians are in Charm City this weekend for a three-game series against the Orioles that begins on Friday (7:30 p.m. on Comcast). The series picks up Saturday (4:30 p.m. on UPN20) and Sunday (1:30 p.m. on UPN20).



At age 39, Rafael Palmeiro has 3 homers, 21 RBIs and a .311 batting average.

→ **WIE SIGHTING:** Teen sensation Michelle Wie leads the field in the Michelob Extra Open in Williamsburg, Va., which concludes on Sunday (1 p.m. on ESPN).

→ **TIGER AND VIJAY, OH MY:** Tiger Woods and Vijay Singh are both in the field of the Wachovia Championship, set to end on Sunday (3 p.m. on CBS).

# SportsWeekend

# Tenacious D

Rasheed, Ben Wallace anchor Pistons' defense in series against Nets

**NBA PLAYOFFS** | Chauncey Billups crouched, spread his arms and pressed up against Jason Kidd.

The Detroit Pistons guard didn't have to worry about Kidd's ability to get to the basket because he figured if Ben Wallace didn't block or alter his shot, Rasheed Wallace would.

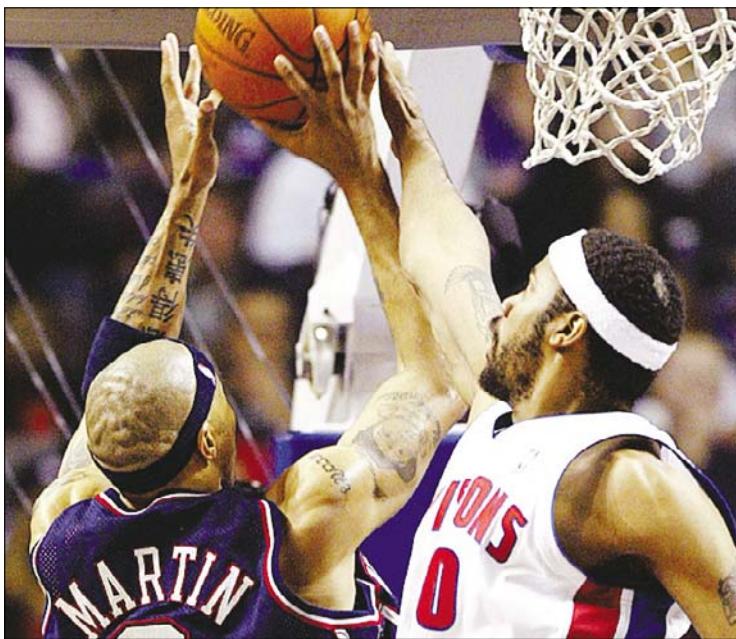
"That's our defense in a nutshell," Billups said. "We don't just have one Wallace, we've got two."

Detroit held New Jersey to the second-lowest point total in NBA

playoff history Monday night in a 78-56 victory in Game 1 of their Eastern Conference semifinal series. Game 2 of the series is Friday and then the action shifts to New Jersey for Game 3 Sunday.

During the regular season, the Pistons allowed 84.3 points per game, the third-lowest scoring average since the league began using a shot clock during the 1954-55 season. They set league records by holding 11 opponents — including five straight — under 70 points, and 36 in a row to less than 100.

While it's easy to explain what the Pistons do on defense — pressure the ball on the perimeter, dar-



**END OF THE LINE:** Rasheed Wallace blocks a shot by Kenyon Martin in Detroit's blowout victory on Monday over New Jersey in the Eastern Conference semifinals.

ing players to drive — it's tough for teams to do anything about it.

Just ask the Nets.

"They are a very good defensive team because when you beat one big guy, there is another one waiting for you," said Kidd, who was 4-of-13 for nine points and had six assists. New Jersey shot a franchise-playoff low 27.1 percent, and tied the postseason record for fewest field goals with 19.

"We had good looks, we just didn't knock them down," said Richard Jefferson, who missed 11 of his 12 shots Monday.

A lot of teams have struggled to shoot against the Pistons, especially since Feb. 19, when they added Rasheed Wallace in a three-team trade to play alongside Ben Wallace, a two-time Defensive Player of the Year. LARRY LAGE (AP)

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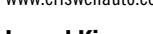
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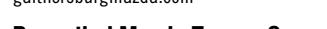
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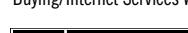


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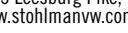
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# SportsWeekend

## Golden Anniversary of Bannister's Record Run

75-year-old returns to track where he broke 4-minute-mile barrier

**RUNNING** | When Roger Bannister strained across the tape on May 6, 1954, he did more than break the four-minute barrier for the mile.

He achieved a landmark that transcends sports.

A lanky 75-year-old grandfather with rosy cheeks and a wisp of gray-white hair, he tried to downplay the 50th anniversary of the record at a low-key meet Thursday at Oxford's Iffley Road track in England.

"None of my athletics was the greatest achievement. My medical work has been my achievement and my family with 14 grandchildren. Those are real achievements," said Bannister, a retired neurologist.

About 1,500 fans came to glimpse



Roger Bannister shows off the shoes he wore in his famous race 50 years ago.

Bannister, about the same turnout 50 years ago at the track where he finished in 3 minutes 59.4 seconds.

Lynn Davies, the president of UK Athletics and a 1964 Olympic gold medalist in the long jump would have none of his modesty.

"What he did was equal with Mount Everest, or the first man on the moon," Davies said. "It's on a par in that everyone in the world knew about it, and everyone still knows about it."

STEPHEN WADE (AP)

## In Brief

### BASEBALL

#### 'Spider-Man' Ads Off Bases

Spider-Man ads on bases didn't fly with baseball fans. A day after announcing a novel promotion to have advertisements on bases next month, Major League Baseball reversed course Thursday and eliminated that part of its marketing deal for "Spider-Man 2." "The bases were an extremely small part of this program," said Bob DuPuy, baseball's chief operating officer. "However, we understand that a segment of our fans was uncomfortable with this particular component and we do not want to detract from the fan's experience in any way."

### GOLF

#### Triplett Sets Course Record

Thousands of fans watching Tiger Woods post his first bogey-free round of the year missed out on all the excitement behind them — Kirk Triplett setting the course record at the Wachovia Championship with an 8-under 64. Woods finished with a 69.



Triplett

## MLB

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New York	16	11	.593	—	9-5	7-6
Baltimore	13	12	.520	2	8-8	5-4
Toronto	10	18	.357	6.5	3-9	7-9
Tampa Bay	9	17	.346	6.5	6-7	3-10

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
Chicago	17	10	.630	—	10-5	7-5
Minnesota	16	10	.615	.5	10-5	6-5
Detroit	13	15	.464	4.5	7-8	6-7
Cleveland	12	14	.462	4.5	8-6	4-8
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# Entertainment

# The Monster Mash

**'Van Helsing'** pays campy homage to horror flicks of the past

**FILM** | "Van Helsing" is the guy Count Dracula, the Wolf Man and Frankenstein's monster whisper about around the campfire.

In Universal's new action-adventure thriller, Hugh Jackman is the supernatural vigilante who must stop Dracula from a vampire brood, while battling the Wolf Man and Frankenstein in the meantime.

Writer-director Stephen Sommers, who also rejuvenated "The Mummy," adds a similar dose of campiness and special-effects overkill to this tale.

The movie is done in the Frankenstein's-monster style of moviemaking: homage after homage after homage patched together.

There's a reference to Jackman's Wolverine from "X-Men," a death scene in which the dearly departed appears in the clouds like "The Lion King," a helper monk (David Wenham) who's like Q from the James Bond movies, some rope-swinging scenes that recall "Spider-Man," and more.

Dracula (Richard Roxburgh) and his vampire brides have thousands



HUNKY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER: Jackman plays another flawed mysterious hero.

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of pods containing little bitty vampires that they want to hatch. But the baby monsters tend to pop apart goopily after a few hours of life.

If Dracula can channel lightning through Frankenstein's monster (Shuler Hensley), it will prevent the wicked critters from premature bursting. To fulfill his evil plan, Dracula recruits werewolves to do his bidding.

One of those werewolves is Velkan (Will Kemp), the brother of Anna Valerious (Kate Beckinsale); they're the last survivors of the family that's sworn to stop Dracula.

Here's where Van Helsing steps in. See, the clan is cursed, and no Valerious can get into heaven unless one of them kills Dracula. With family running low, the Vatican sends their top black-ops agent.

What remains unexplored in this film is possibly its most interesting subplot: Who is Van Helsing? What sin did he commit that requires so much work toward redemption? Where does he get his super strength?

But aren't those also the questions left about Wolverine?



ANTHONY BREZNICAN (AP)

## ClubPicks

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**21ST ANNUAL ART ATTACK ... GURU**

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## Naked in New York

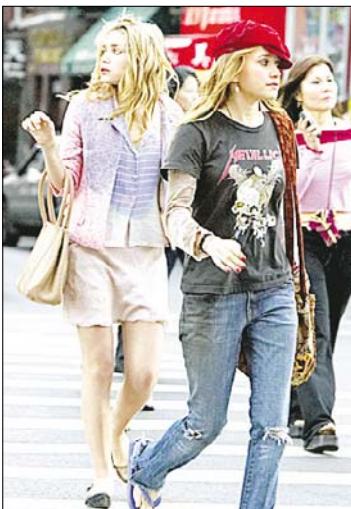
**FILM** | To prove they're all grown-up, Mary-Kate and Ashley, the multimedia empire formerly known as the Olsen twins, have put out "New York Minute," playing suburban sisters on a big-city adventure.

It's rated PG to appeal to the twins' tweener fan base. But who are we kidding? This movie is really for a male audience.

One or both of the sisters appears naked or runs around Manhattan in nothing but a towel or a flimsy white shirt that's been splashed with water.

Where to begin? When Ashley's character, type-a Jane, is having a bad dream in which she appears nude in front of an audience? Or when Jane realizes the pet boa constrictor of Mary-Kate's character, aspiring rock star Roxy, has slithered from its tank to join her in the shower. (How's THAT for sexual symbolism?)

And the weirdest of all: Jane, who has climbed onto a hotel ledge wearing only a towel to chase after one of those hairless Chinese crested dogs — don't ask — ends up tum-



TWO SCOOPS: In a rare still from "New York Minute," the Olsens are fully clad.

bling towel-free into a trash bin, where she realizes with a giggle that she's naked (again).

Roxy, meanwhile, is wearing a micro-bathrobe as she wallows next to Jane amid the refuse.

Part of what makes "New York Minute" troubling is the fact that Mary-Kate and Ashley look and sound so young. They're tiny things with chirpy chipmunk voices, which makes viewing them as sex symbols seem even more predatory.

Voyeuristically directed by Dennis Gordon, "New York Minute" has all the subtlety of a sitcom and none of the sense to effectively use many big-name bit actors who know comedy. **CHRISTY LEMIRE (AP)**



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**Round and Round:** A lifetime of seasons passes as a Buddhist monk learns and grows; Desson Thomson reviews the delicate "Spring Summer, Fall, Winter ... and Spring." | **Weekend**

**Mutant in the Mirror:** Desson Thomson sees "Super Size Me," the result of Morgan Spurlock's experiment with living on McDonald's food for a month, as a horror story. | **Style**

**Silenced Voice:** Jonathan Demme turns an eye on "The Agronomist" — the late Haitian activist Jean Dominique — in what Desson Thomson calls a "warmly felt documentary." | **Weekend**

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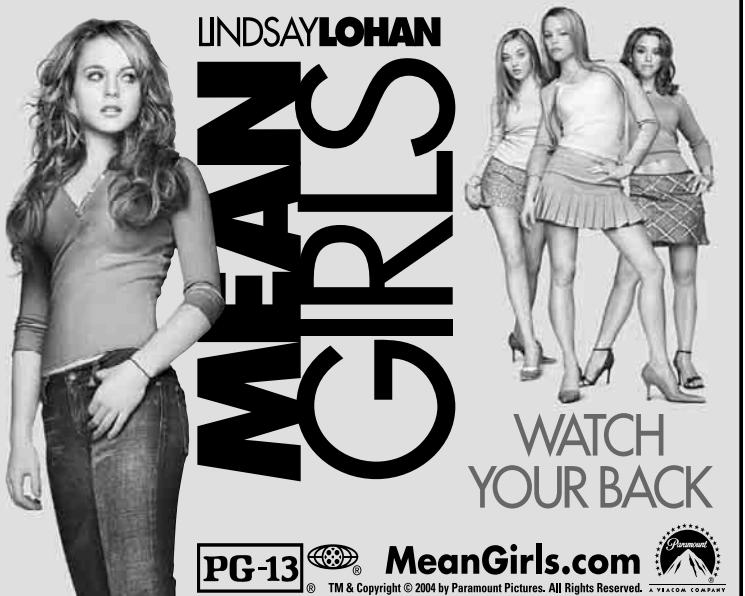
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**Birchmere:** Fri., Last Train Home, 7:30 p.m., \$17.50; Sat., David Sanborn, 7:30 & 10 p.m., \$42.50; Sun., David Bromberg Band, 7:30 p.m., \$45. 3701 Mt. Vernon Ave., Alexandria; 703-549-7500.

**Black Cat:** Fri., The Raveonettes, 8:30 p.m., \$12; Dollhouse, 9:30 p.m., \$5; Sat., Mousetrap, mainstage, 9:30 p.m., \$8; Notorious, backstage, 9:30 p.m., free; Sun., Clinic, 8:30 p.m., \$13. 1811 14th St. NW; 202-667-7960.

**Blues Alley:** Fri.-Sat., Monty Alexander Group, 8 & 10 p.m., \$20. 1073 Wisconsin Ave. NW; 202-337-4141.

**Classics Night Club:** Sat., WPGC live broadcast, 9 p.m., \$10; Sun., Rare Essence, 9 p.m., \$20. 4591 Allentown Road, Camp Springs, Md.; 301-420-5353.

**Club Amazon:** Fri., Skin, 7 p.m.; Sat., Lissen Band, 10 p.m. 13501 Route 1, Laurel, Md.; 301-210-3466.

**Club Five:** Fri., Pearl, Phat, "That '80s Party," 10 p.m., \$10; Sat., Digital Dub Foundation, 8 p.m., \$10; M3, 10 p.m., \$10; Sun., Trade, 10 p.m., \$10. 1214-B 18th St. NW; 202-331-7123.

**Club Insomnia:** Fri., Allure, 9 p.m.; Sat., Glow, 10 p.m. 714 6th St. NW; 202-737-1003.

**Club Levels:** Sun., TCB Band, 10 p.m., \$25. 1960 Montana Ave. NE; 202-269-0100.

**Club U/Reeves Center:** Sat., Rare Essence, 10 p.m., \$20. 2000 14th St. NW; 202-328-8859.

**Daedalus:** Fri., Digital, 10:30 p.m., \$10; Sat., Asian Night, 10:30 p.m., \$10. 1010 Vermont Ave. NW; 301-404-7478.

**DC Food Bar:** Disco w/ DJ Tanaka, 10:30 p.m., free. 1639 R St. NW; 202-337-4141.

**H2O:** Fri., International Night, 9 p.m., \$15; Sat., Soul Food Late Night, 9 p.m., \$15. 800 Water St. SW; 202-484-6300.

**Home:** Fri., Relax, 9 p.m., \$15; Sat., Synergy, 10 p.m., \$15; Sun., Urban Night, 10 p.m., \$15. 911 F St. NW; 202-638-4663.

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**Modern:** Fri., House Scenario, DJ Stylus Chris, 9 p.m., \$10; Sat., Groove Theory, DJ Blk Ceaza, 9 p.m., \$10. 3287 M St. NW; 202-338-7027.

**Nation:** Fri., Cubik, 9 p.m.; Sat., Velvet, 10 p.m. 1015 Half St. SE; 202-554-1500.

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**The Legend:** Fri., EU, Subtle Thoughts, 11:30 p.m.; Sat., Saturday Night Live, 9 p.m.; Sun., College Night, 9 p.m. 3225 Naylor Road, Temple Hills, Md.; 301-894-3535.

**Velvet Lounge:** Fri., Black Hand, 8 p.m., free; Sat., The M's, 8 p.m., free; Sun., Tiffany Shea, 8 p.m., free. 915 U St. NW; 202-462-3213.

**Whitlow's on Wilson:** Fri., Lloyd Dobler Effect, 9:30 p.m., \$5; Sat., Boogiegawg, 9:30 p.m., \$5; Sun., Open mike w/ Kenny Haddaway, 7 p.m., free. 2854 Wilson Blvd., Arlington; 703-276-9693.

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**Arthur M. Sackler Gallery:** Caliphs and

Kings: The Art and Influence of Islamic Spain, through Oct. 17. Return of the Buddha, through July 5. Faith and Form, through July 17. 1050 Independence Ave. SW; 202-357-4880.

**LAST CHANCE** Fusebox: Pop Agenda:

Siemon Allen and Dominic McGill, Joseph /John Dumbacher: One to One, ends Sat. 1412 14th St. NW; 202-299-9220.

**Freer Gallery of Art:** Guardians of the

Law: Chinese Luohan Painting, through May 23. The Tea Ceremony as Melting Pot, through July 17. 12th Street and Jefferson Drive SW; 202-357-2700.

**LAST CHANCE** Hirshhorn Museum

& Sculpture Garden: Douglas Gordon, ends Sun. Independence Avenue at Seventh Street SW; 202-633-4674.

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**National Museum of Women in the Arts:** Edda Renouf: Revealed Structures, through May 16. Nordic Cool: Hot Women Designers, through Sept. 12. 1250 New York Ave. NW; 202-783-5000.

**Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian American Art Museum:** Right at Home: American Studio Furniture, through Jan. 17. 17th Street and Pennsylvania Ave. NW; 202-357-2700.

**United States Holocaust Memorial Museum:** Life in Shadows, through May 12. Deadly Medicine: Creating the Master Race, through Oct. 16. 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place SW; 202-488-0400.

### STAGE

**Arena Stage:** Señor Discretion Himself, through May 23, 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), \$42-\$60. 1101 6th St. SW; 202-554-9066.

**LAST CHANCE** Chief Ike's Mambo

Room: Cinema Verite, ends Sun., 8 p.m. (Fri.-Sun.), \$15. 1725 Columbia Road NW; 202-332-2211.

**Folger Theatre:** Comedy of Errors, through May 23, 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 7:30 p.m. (Sun.), \$30-\$48. 201 East Capitol St. NE; 202-544-7077.

**GWU, Lisner Auditorium:** Fri.-Sat., Dance Brazil, 8 p.m., \$25-\$45. 730 21st St. NW; 202-994-6800.

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**LAST CHANCE Kennedy Center:** Five by Tenn, through Sun., 7:30 p.m. (Fri. & Sun.), 2 p.m. (Sat.), \$35-\$50. A Streetcar Named Desire opens Sat., through May 30, 8 p.m. (Fri.-Sun.). 2:30 p.m. (Sat. & Sun.), \$25-\$75. 2700 F St. NW; 202-467-4600.

**Round House Theatre:** Jesus Hopped the 'A' Train, through May 30, 8 p.m.

(Fri.-Sun.), \$10-\$39. 8641 Colesville Road, Silver Spring; 240-644-1100.

**Studio Theatre:** Far Away, through May 16, 8 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 2 p.m. (Sat. & Sun.), 7 p.m. (Sun.), \$28-\$45. 1333 P St. NW; 202-332-3300.

**LAST CHANCE Warehouse Theatre:** Belgrade Trilogy, through May 11, 8 p.m. (Fri.), 2 p.m. (Sat.), \$20-\$25. Porcelain, through May 16, 8 p.m. (Sat.), 2 p.m. & 7 p.m. (Sun.), \$20. 1021 7th St. NW; 202-783-3933.

**LAST CHANCE Warner Theatre:** Jesus Christ Superstar, ends Sun., 8 p.m. (Fri.-Sun.), \$29-\$62.50. 1299

Pennsylvania Ave. NW; 202-783-4000.

**LAST CHANCE Washington Ballet**

**Studios:** 7x7, ends Sun. 7 & 9 p.m. (Fri. & Sat.), 1 & 3 p.m. (Sun.), \$29. 3515 Wisconsin Ave.; 202-362-3606.

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**9:30 Club:** Fri. Comedian-singer Stephen Lynch, 7:30 p.m., \$20. 815 V St. NW; 202-265-0930.

**Barnes and Noble:** Sat., Tia Williams ("The Accidental Diva"), 3 p.m., free. 555 12th St. NW; 202-347-0176.

**Brookside Gardens:** Sat., Wings of Fancy, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., free. 1800 Glen-

len Ave., Wheaton, Md.; 301-962-1400.

**Capital Children's Museum:** Sun.,

Mother's Day Origami Card, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., free. 800 3rd St. NE; 202-675-4120.

**Dance Place:** Fri.-Sat., Dance on Camera, 8 p.m., \$18. \$14 members, \$6 children. 3225 8th St. NE; 202-269-1600.

**Hilltop Golf Course:** Sat., Play Golf America Day, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., free. 7900 Telegraph Road, Alexandria; 732-469-5700.

**The Improv:** Fri.-Sun., comedian David Alan Grier, 8 & 10:30 p.m., \$25. 1140 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-296-7008.

**Politics & Prose:** Fri., Sally Bedell Smith

("Grace and Power: The Private World of the Kennedy White House") 7 p.m., free.

Sat., Davy Rothbart ("Found") 7 p.m., free. 5015 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-364-1919.

**Takoma Theatre:** Sat., Takoma on Track Spring Festival, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., free. 6833 Fourth St. NW; 202-291-8060.

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# Television

## ON TV THIS WEEKEND

### ANIMATED EXCHANGE

The wags at Nickelodeon declare a truce of sorts in the animation wars with a crossover episode of the cartoon "The Fairly OddParents" and the CGI hit "The Adventures of Jimmy Neutron" called the **THE JIMMY/TIMMY POWER HOUR** (Fri., 8 p.m., Nickelodeon). Three-dimensional Jimmy Neutron is a boy genius who lives in the town of Retroville, where he invents neat stuff. Two-dimensional Timmy resides in the town of Dimmsdale, where he slacks off at every opportunity and is continually saved from disaster by his two secret fairy godparents.

A technical glitch forces Timmy and Jimmy to switch worlds. The sight of a "bulgy" three-dimensional Jimmy is fairly scary for all concerned, Timmy most of all. Jimmy adjusts more seamlessly to the flatter confines of 2-D Dimmsdale, but the

ultra-logical Neutron can't quite grasp the whimsical powers of fairies.

### DIALING FOR THE OLDIES

Blondie performs on **LIVE BY REQUEST** (Fri., 9 p.m., A&E). Fronted by Debbie Harry, Blondie was one of the few bands to emerge from the punk-rock scene and



crossover into popular stardom. The New York band hit the charts with the disco-influenced 1978 single "Heart of Glass." By 1979, Blondie was so mainstream they appeared on "The Muppet Show." Viewers can request their favorites via an 800 number or on the Internet.

**HM, WHAT DOES THAT RHYME WITH? HANNIBAL** (Sat., 8 p.m., CBS) In 1964, Supreme Court Justice Potter Stewart famously declared that while he could not define hardcore pornography, "I know it when I see it." I had a similar, queasy reac-



Hopkins

tion when watching this 2001 horrorshow, a violent and disturbing film that asks us to admire and sympathize with serial killer Hannibal Lecter (Anthony Hopkins) because he's

so brilliant, suave and cultured.

### TOUGH, LOVING

Celebrate Mother's Day with a very unorthodox mom. The documentary **MY FLESH AND BLOOD** (Sun., 6:30 p.m., HBO) spends a year with Susan Tom of Fairfield, Calif., the adoptive mother of 11 special-needs children. "Flesh" allows many of Tom's kids to emerge as complex characters. Joe, 15, a handsome surfer type, suffers from cystic fibrosis. He's also deeply disturbed and frequently lashes out at his blended family. Anthony, 19, has a skin disorder that causes his flesh to peel from his body and requires Tom to bathe him for hours each day. Xenia, 13, is athlet-

ic, boy-crazy and popular despite being born without legs.

A survivor of childhood epilepsy, Margaret, 18, knows that she has comparatively little to complain about. But she feels overwhelmed by the unending avalanche of chores. It's difficult to watch this film and not wonder whether Tom is

a saint or a troubled, lonely "collector" of problem children.

### CULT CHOICE

**SEVENTEEN AGAIN** (Sat., 8 p.m., Disney), Had your fill of "Mean Girls" and "13 Going on 30"? Try this 2000 fantasy starring Tia and Tamera Mowry. KEVIN McDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)



FAMILY WAY: Susan Tom's brood comes across vividly in "My Flesh and Blood."

	5.7.04	6:00 PM	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
LOCAL CHANNELS		WRC (4) News CC	NBC Nightly News	Access Hollywood	Dateline NBC (1) CC	★★★ "Spy Kids" (2001) Antonio Banderas, Carla Gugino. Premiere. (1) CC				Third Watch "Monsters" (1) CC	News CC	The Tonight Show	
	WTTG (5) The Simpsons (1)	The Simpsons (1)	Friends (1) CC	Seinfeld (1) CC	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	George Lopez (N)	George Lopez (1)	Hope & Faith (N)	Hope & Faith (1)	20/20 (N) CC	Friends (1) CC	Drew Carey
	WJLA (7) News CC	ABC Wld News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	George Lopez (N)	George Lopez (1)	Hope & Faith (N)	Hope & Faith (1)			News CC	(35) Nightline	
	WUSA (9) News CC	CBS News	USA Tonight	Ent. Tonight	Joan of Arcadia (N) (1) CC	JAG "Coming Home" (N) (1)				Cold Case "Resolutions" (1) CC	News CC	(35) Late Show	
	WDCA (20) Moesha (1) CC	The Hughleys (1)	That '70s Show	That '70s Show	★★ "Shaft" (2000, Action) Samuel L. Jackson, Vanessa Williams. (1) CC	Seinfeld (CC)	Every-Raymond			Seinfeld (CC)	Dharma & Greg	Dharma & Greg	
	WMPT (22) The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer CC	Business Rpt.	Business Circle	Washington Week	Wall-Fortune	Now With Bill Moyers (N) (1) CC	Now With Bill Moyers (N) (1) CC			When I Fall in Love		Ernie Ford's Favorite Hymns	
	WETA (26) BBC World News	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer CC	Washington Week	Wall-Fortune	Now With Bill Moyers (N) (1) CC	Masterpiece Theatre "Prime Suspect" (N) (1) (Part 1 of 2) CC						
	WHUT (32) White House	Uncommon	BBC World News	MoneyWise CC	Evening Exchange	God and the Inner City (1) CC	BBC World News	Tavis Smiley (1)		Charlie Rose (N) (1) CC			
	WBDC (50) The Parkers (1)	Steve Harvey	The Parkers (1)	Steve Harvey	Reba Bar brawl.	What I Like	Grounded for Life	Run of the House	Will & Grace (1)	Just Shoot Me (1)	Will & Grace (1)	Blind Date (N) (1)	
BASIC CABLE	A&E	City Confidential CC	American Justice: Susan Smith	John & Carolyn: Portrait	A&E's Live by Request Starring Blondie From John Jay College, New York.								American Justice "Playing With Fire"
	Animal	The Crocodile Hunter CC	Animal Kidding	Funniest Animals	The Planet's Funniest Animals CC	The Planet's Funniest Animals CC	Miami Animal Police CC						The Planet's Funniest Animals CC
	BET	106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live	How I'm Living	★★ "Bones" (2001, Horror) Snoop Dogg, Pam Grier. Premiere.	Comicview								BET Nightly News Access Granted
	Bravo	Showbiz Moms & Dads CC	Inside the Actors Studio CC	★ "Original Sin" (2001, Drama) Antonio Banderas, Angelina Jolie. Premiere.		★★★ "Hairspray" (1988, Comedy) Ricki Lake, Divine. Premiere.							
	Comedy	Late Night Brad Pitt; Janet Jackson.	The Daily Show	Mad TV (1) CC	Com.-Presents	Bill Maher: Be More Cynical (1) CC	Com.-Presents	Com.-Presents					
	Court	Hollywood Heat	Body of Evidence	Cops (1) CC	Cops (1) CC	Forensic Files I, Detective	Forensic Files	Crime Stories "Prisoners of Love"					
	Discovery	Monster Garage CC	Monster House "New York House"	Gold Star Racing CC	American Chopper "Dixie Chopper 1"	American Hot Rod "Junkyard Dog 4"	Gold Star Racing CC						
	DISCH	Rescue 911 CC	Rescue 911 CC	Paramedics "Double Dose" CC	Escaping Obesity: Kathy's Story	Impact: Stories of Survival	Resident Life						
	Disney	Braceface CC	Sister, Sister (1)	That's So Raven	Lizzie McGuire	★★★ "Lilo & Stitch" (2002) Voices of Daveigh Chase. (40) ★★ "Lilo & Stitch" (2002, Comedy) Voices of Daveigh Chase. CC	The Proud Family						
	E!	High Price of Fame "Tempted"	E! News (N)	Love Chain	Mary-Kate & Ashley	Bachelor: Hollywood Story	Tipped to Success	Howard Stern (N)	Howard Stern				
	FX	Married... With	Married... With	Cops (1) CC	Cops (1) CC	★★ "Porky's" (1981, Comedy) Dan Monahan, Mark Herriger, Scott Colomby.	Cops (1) CC	Cops (1) CC					The Shield "Slipknot" CC
	HGTV	Bldg. Character	Landscapers	Curb Appeal	House Hunters	Debbie Travis' Facelift "Dull Den" (1)	Decorating Cents Outer Spaces	Debbie Travis' Facelift (1)					Home to Go CC Sensible Chic
	Family	Full House CC	7th Heaven "Life Is Too Beautiful" (1)	★★ "Brave New Girl" (2004, Drama) Lindsey Haun, Virginia Madsen. CC	Whose Line? Whose Line?	Whose Line? Whose Line?							The 700 Club CC
	History	Dead Men's Secrets CC	Modern Marvels "Cemeteries" CC	Dead Men's Secrets CC	Nordhausen CC	B-17: The Flying Fortress CC	Guns of the Sky Aircraft weaponry.						
	Lifetime	Head 2 Toe CC	Head 2 Toe CC	Merge CC	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	"Rush of Fear" (2003, Action) Rosanna Arquette, Chris Potter. CC	Merge CC					
	MTV	Top 25 Under 25	Prime Time Players (1)			Viva La Bam (1)	Pimp My Ride (1)	Punk'd (1)	Wild Boyz (1)				
	NICK	U-Pick Nicktoons	Drake & Josh (1)	Rugrats (1) CC	SpongeBob	Jimmy Neutron: Boy Genius	Danny Phantom ChalkZone CC	The Cosby Show	The Cosby Show	Roseanne CC	Roseanne CC		
	SCIFI	Stargate SG-1 "Holiday" (1)	Stargate SG-1 (1) CC	Andromeda Severed link. (1) CC	Stargate SG-1 "Heroes" CC	Stargate SG-1 "Birthright" (1) CC	Stargate SG-1 "Heroes" CC						
	SPIKE	Real TV CC	Real TV (1)	Star Trek: Deep Space Nine CC	Star Trek: Deep Space Nine CC	Star Trek: Deep Space Nine CC	Star Trek: Deep Space Nine CC	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (1)					
	TBS	Home Improve.	Seinfeld (1) CC	Friends (1) CC	MLB Baseball Houston Astros at Atlanta Braves. From Turner Field in Atlanta. (Live)			★★ "Outbreak" (1995) Dustin Hoffman. CC (DVS)					
	TLC	Clean Sweep "It's a Jungle in There"	Trading Spaces: Family CC	While You Were Out "Austin: Skylab"	While You Were Out (N)	What Not to Wear "Belinda" (N)	While You Were Out (N)						
	TNT	Charmed "The Devil's Music" CC	Law & Order "White Lie" (1)	Law & Order "Trade This" (1)	Law & Order (1) CC (DVS)	Law & Order "Bronx Cheer" (1)	Law & Order "Conduct Unbecoming"						
	USA	Walker, Texas Ranger (1) CC	JAG "Jinx" (1) CC	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (1)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (1)	Touching Evil "Slash 30" CC	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (1)						
	VHI	100 Hottest Hotties "60-41" (1)	100 Hottest Hotties "40-21" (1)	100 Hottest Hotties "20-1" (1)	"30 Days Until I'm Famous" (2004) Sean Patrick Flanery. Premiere. (1)	Best Week Ever	Fabulous Life Of...						
SPAN.	TELEM	Corte-Pueblo	Noti-Telemundo	Pasión de Gavilanes	Prisionera	El Alma Herida	Mujeres Apasionadas	Noticiero Tel.	Laura				
	UNIV	Viviana	Noticiero Univ	Amar Otra Vez	Mariana de la Noche	Bajo la Misma Piel	La Escuelita VIP	Casa de la Risa	Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univ.			
SPORTS	ESPN	SportsCenter	NBA Shootaround	To Be Announced	NBA Basketball Eastern Conference Semifinal Game 2 -- New Jersey Nets at Detroit Pistons.	To Be Announced							
	ESPN2	Billiards: Int'l Challenge of Champions	NHL Hockey Conference Final Game 1 -- Teams to Be Announced. (Live) CC		NHL 2Night CC	Boxing Friday Night Fights -- Leo Nolan vs. Lou Savarese. (Live) CC							
	CSN	Totally NASCAR	SportsNite (Live) CC	MLB Baseball Cleveland Indians at Baltimore Orioles. From Oriole Park at Camden Yards in Baltimore. (Live)			SportsNite CC	The Best Damn Sports Show Period					
NEWS	CNN	Lou Dobbs Tonight CC	Anderson Cooper 360 CC	Paula Zahn Now CC	Larry King Live Author Joan Lunden.	NewsNight With Aaron Brown CC	Lou Dobbs Tonight						
	FNC	Special Report (Live) CC	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The O'Reilly Factor (Live) CC	Hannity & Colmes (Live) CC	On the Record-Van Susteren	The O'Reilly Factor						
	MSNBC	The Abrams Report (Live)	Hardball (Live) CC	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Deborah Norville Tonight (Live)	Nat. Geo. Ultimate Explorer	Hardball CC						
MOVIES	AMC	(5:45) ★★ "The Return of the Pink Panther" (1975) Peter Sellers. 'G'		★★ "History of the World: Part I" (1981, Comedy) Mel Brooks. 'R'		★ "An American Werewolf in Paris" (1997) Tom Everett Scott. 'R' CC							
	TCM	(5:30) ★★ "It's a Big Country" 'NR'	Gary Cooper: American Life	★★ "Vera Cruz" (1954, Western) Gary Cooper, Burt Lancaster. 'NR' CC		★★ "Man of the West" (1958, Western) Gary Cooper, Julie London. 'NR'							
	HBO	(5:45) ★★ "The Client" (1994) Susan Sarandon. (1) PG-13 CC		★★ "Head of State" (2003) Chris Rock. (1) PG-13 CC	Chris Rock Show	Deadwood (1) CC	On the Record (N) (1) CC						
	MAX	(15) ★★ "48 HRS." (1982, Comedy-Drama) Nick Nolte. (1) R' CC		★★ "Spider-Man" (2002, Action) Tobey Maguire. (1) PG-13 CC		★★ "Old School" (2003) Luke Wilson. (1) 'NR' CC	Best Sex Ever (1)						
	SHOW	(5:15) ★★ "The Favor" (1994) 'R'	★★ "The Wild Thornberrys Movie" (2002) PG' CC	★ "Manhood" (2003, Comedy) Nestor Carbonell. 'NR'		★★ "Old School" (2003) Luke Wilson. (1) 'NR' CC	Dead Like Me "Reaping Havoc" (ITV)	Family Business	Penn & Teller				
	TMC	★★ "Things to Do in Denver When You're Dead" (1995) Andy Garcia. 'R'		★★ "Bowling for Columbine" (2002, Documentary) Premiere. (1) 'R' CC		★★ "Pumpkin" (2002, Comedy-Drama) Christina Ricci. (1) 'R' CC							
	STARZ!	(5:30) ★★ "Hollywood Homicide" (2003) Harrison Ford.	★ "The New Guy" (2002) DJ Qualls. (1) PG-13 CC	★★ "Undercover Brother" (2002) Eddie Griffin. PG-13		★★ "Red Dragon" (2002) Anthony Hopkins. Premiere. (1) 'R' CC							
	ENCORE	(:05) ★★ "School Ties" (1992, Drama) Brendan Fraser. (1) PG-13 CC		★★ "BASEketball" (1998, Comedy) Trey Parker, Matt Stone. (1) 'R' CC		★★ "Red Dragon" (2002) Anthony Hopkins. Premiere. (1) 'R' CC							

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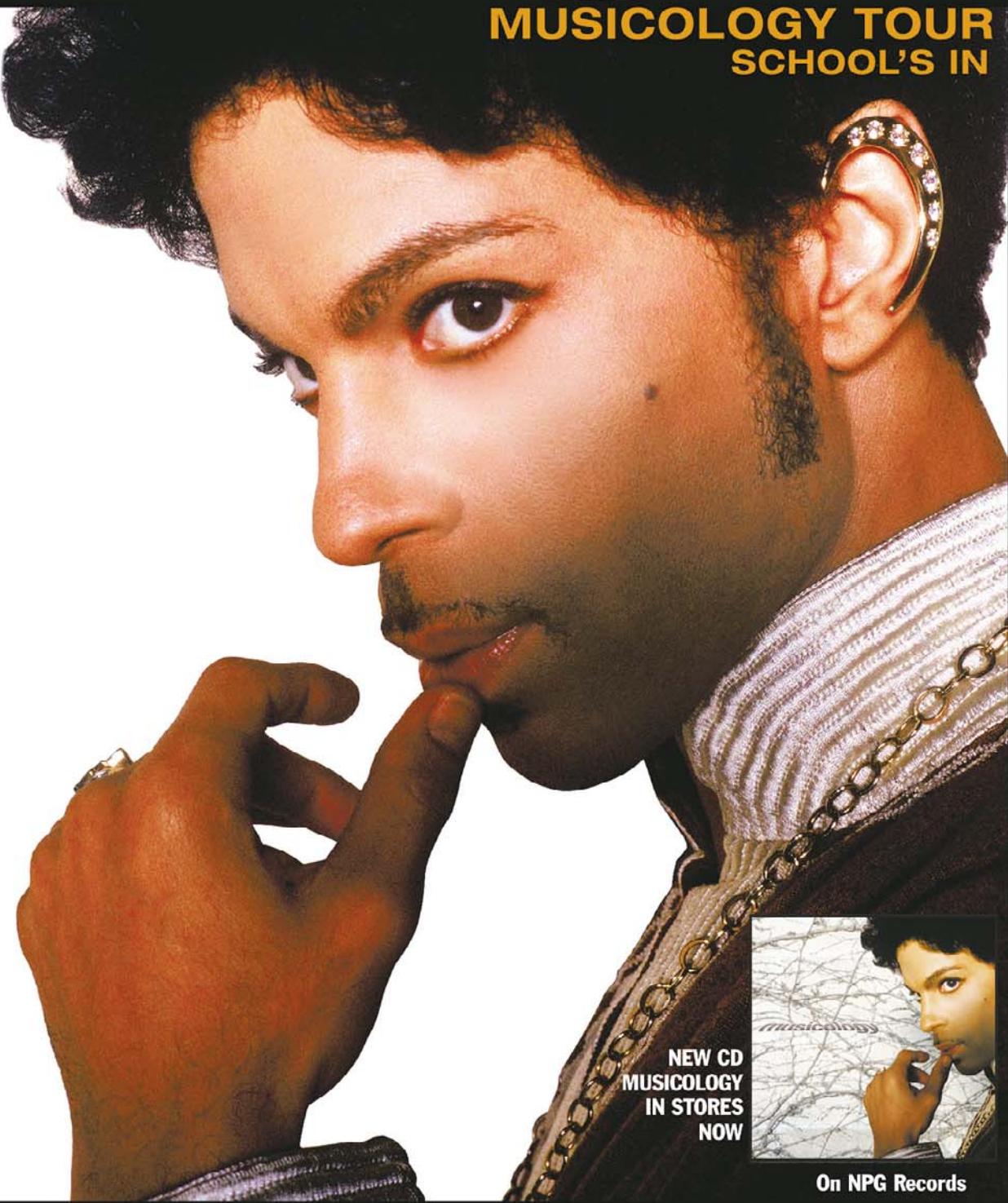
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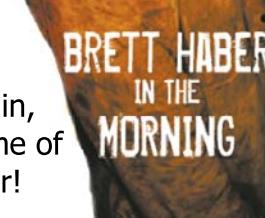
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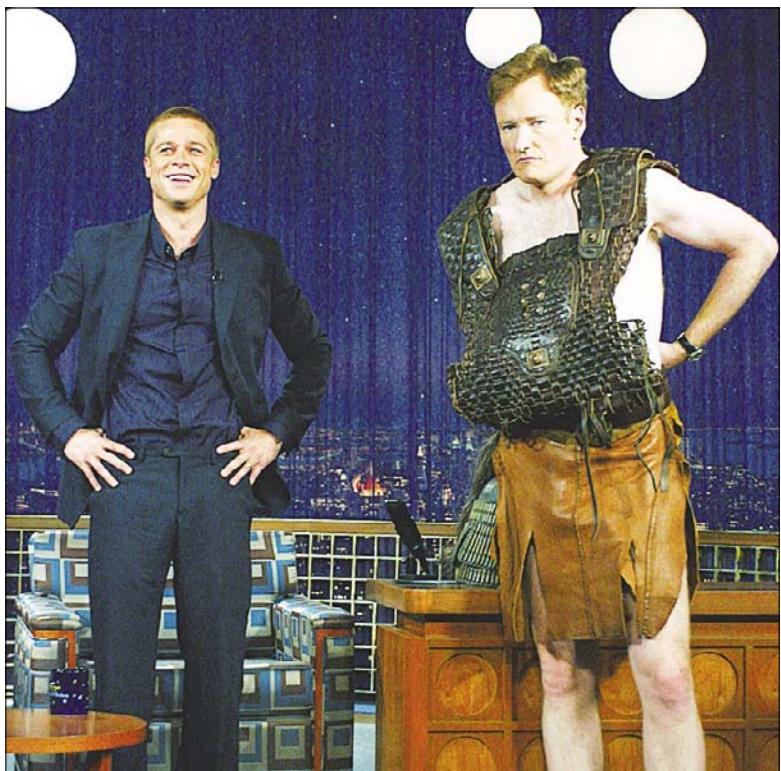
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# People

GREEKS

## Greek Great, Greek Geek

**CONAN O'BRIEN** tried on ancient-style war gear to the amusement of **BRAD PITT**, who appeared on NBC's "Late Night with Conan O'Brien" on Thursday. Pitt was promoting his latest movie "Troy," which opens May 14. In other Brad/Troy news this week, Pitt quit smoking to play Achilles, said "It will happen when it happens" about kids and is still married to his wife, Jennifer Aniston. (EXPRESS)



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### LITERARY CRIMES

#### Bardot No Balzac, French Court Decrees

French film legend **BRIGITTE BARDOT** defended herself in court Thursday against charges that she incited racial hatred in her best-selling book. "I never knowingly wanted to hurt anybody. It is not in my character," the former screen siren turned animal rights campaigner

### STUNTS

#### Because He Can, That's Why

**DAVID LETTERMAN** will be staying up very late — or getting up really early — to tape a show next week at 4 a.m. "We thought it would be cool," said Rob Burnett, the "Late Show" executive producer. The show that airs on Friday, May 14, will be taped early that morning. Typically, Letterman tapes his Friday show on Thursday evening. Burnett joked that the staffer who thought of the 4 a.m. taping has since been fired. (AP)

### OUR MISCHA!

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**MISCHA BARTON** has no stylist. "I could hire someone, but it seems easier just to pick things out myself," the "The O.C." star said in Teen Vogue. "I'll see something on a photo shoot, in a look book, or on the show and I'll make a request," Barton said. "I don't always get my way — it took me months before I was cleared to wear a Marc Jacobs dress on Oscar night — but when I do I'm really happy." (AP)



### SELLOUTS

#### Brody's Career Running on Fumes

Oscar winner **ADRIEN BRODY** and "Van Helsing" star Kate Beckinsale have sold their souls to Coca-Cola Co, Reuters reported. The two appear in a new ad campaign with

the slogan "It's a Diet Coke thing,"

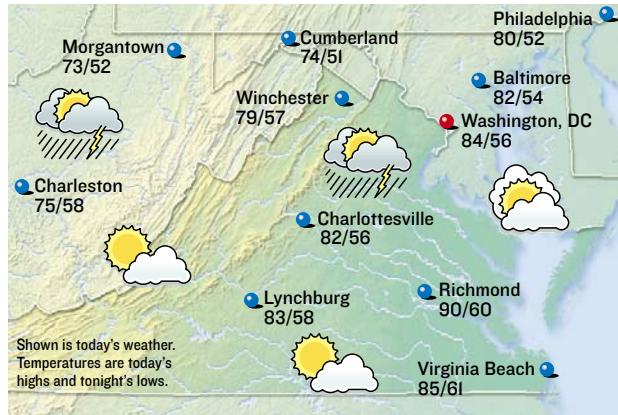
which highlights the bubbly aspect of the carbonated beverage. The commercials, featuring Beckinsale in a bikini, launch next week. (EXPRESS)



## 5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area

Today	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
Partly sunny, thunder shower	Partly cloudy, turning cooler	Cooler, showers possible	Partly sunny, thunderstorm possible	Partly sunny, maybe thunder late	Partly sunny, thunderstorm possible
84°	56°	69° / 59°	78° / 62°	82° / 62°	76° / 62°

## Regional Weather



## Almanac

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### Temperature

High .....	74°
Low .....	50°
Normal high .....	72°
Normal low .....	53°
Average humidity .....	48%

### Precipitation

24 hours ending 4 p.m. ....	0.41"
Month to date .....	1.51"
Normal month to date .....	0.68"
Year to date .....	II.07"
Last year to date .....	16.29"
Normal year to date .....	I3.00"

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## Regional Forecast

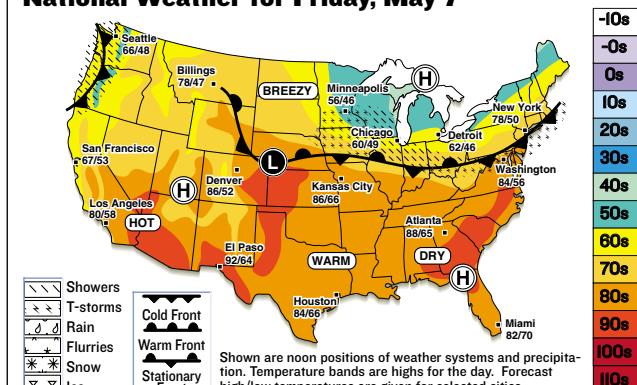
**D.C. Metro:** Today, partly sunny, very warm, thunder shower. High 84. Wind west to southwest 10-18 mph. Tonight, partly cloudy, turning cooler, shower.

## Sun and Moon

Sunrise today ..... 6:03 a.m.  
Sunset tonight ..... 8:07 p.m.  
Moonrise today ..... none  
Moonset today ..... 8:04 a.m.



## National Weather for Friday, May 7



## National Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Sat. Hi/Lo/W	City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Sat. Hi/Lo/W
Atlanta	88/65/s	85/64/s	Amsterdam	54/49/r	56/47/pc
Boston	74/44/sh	59/44/pc	Athens	74/55/s	73/58/s
Chicago	60/49/t	70/52/t	Berlin	63/41/r	58/38/sh
Dallas	82/67/pc	85/65/pc	Buenos Aires	70/52/pc	73/52/s
Denver	86/52/s	82/49/pc	Calgary	62/42/pc	60/34/pc
Honolulu	84/70/pc	84/70/sh	Dublin	59/45/pc	58/45/c
Los Angeles	80/58/s	80/58/s	Geneva	52/35/sh	48/36/c
Miami	82/70/s	82/71/pc	Moscow	74/47/pc	57/35/r
New York City	78/50/t	60/48/r	Rome	62/43/pc	61/45/sh
Orlando	88/64/s	88/66/s	Sydney	69/48/c	69/49/c
Seattle	66/48/sh	62/46/sh	Tokyo	72/56/s	71/58/p

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# Playback

## Letters

### TO THE EDITOR

IN A LETTER PUBLISHED Thursday, Terry Harbonic expressed outrage regarding the sign asking, "Is this your freedom?" in a photo on Tuesday's Express cover. What the writer may have forgotten was that the murder of the four U.S. contractors in March was carried out by radicals intent on driving a U.S.-led military out of their country. They were in no way claiming to be on a mission of "freedom" and "rebuilding," unlike the U.S. commander-in-chief and his constituency. I think I'll be expressing my outrage at the polls in November.

—PRIANKA NANDY  
Arlington, Va.

I WOULD LIKE TO ECHO Terry Harbonic's comments in Thursday's letter to the editor about the Iraqi prisoners. I am getting tired of seeing the same pictures every day and asking, "Where is the apology?"

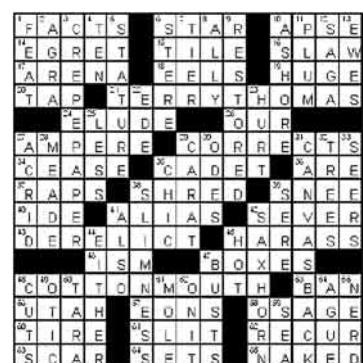
I would like to ask the same thing when Iraqis took the liberty of burning and hanging the American contractors in March. I am tired of other nations viewing the U.S. as immoral beasts. They forget that the U.S. is always the first nation to respond when another nation needs help.

—JOHN BROUGHTON  
Fredericksburg, Va.

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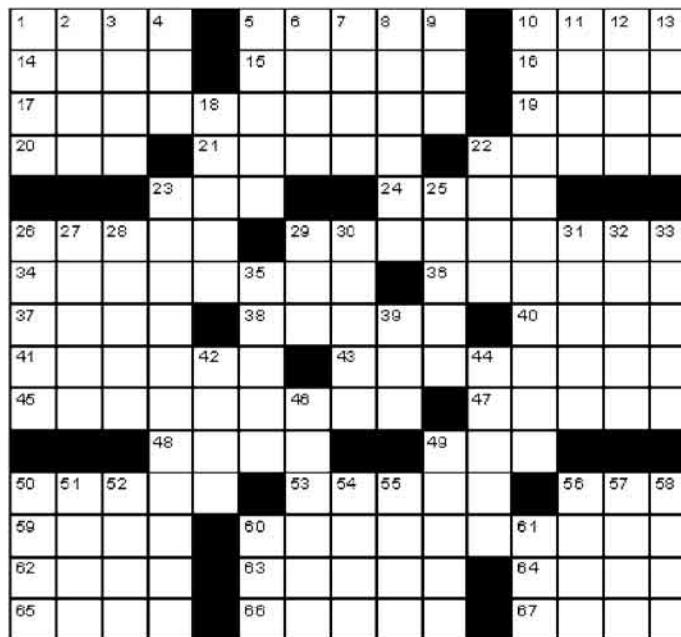
### Yesterday's Solution



### Crossword Puzzle: Below the Elbow | Edited by Timothy E. Parker

#### ACROSS

- 1 Shampoo
- ingredient, sometimes
- 5 Showy display
- 10 Answered a charge
- 14 They sell anvils
- 15 Execution loop
- 16 Like a Monday crossword
- 17 Bad review
- 19 Get high
- 20 Cry for help
- 21 Ron Howard's high school classmate Rene
- 22 Duck down
- 23 Word with east or date
- 24 Wood sorrels
- 26 Dali's country
- 29 Sign of agreement
- 34 Nervous thing in a room full of rocking chairs?
- 36 Actor elected president
- 37 Public panic
- 38 Fist fight
- 40 Simpson imp
- 41 Sound attachment
- 43 Less attractive
- 45 Hand-held device
- 47 Funny guy Bruce
- 48 Font selection
- 49 Seller's postings
- 50 Subject of Montezuma
- 51 Silk with a wavy



pattern	66 Shopping hub of old Athens	period acronym
56 Vent starter	67 Shed, as skin	5 Follow an event
59 In the area	DOWN	6 North Atlantic food fishes
60 Green olives, baby pickles, etc.	1 Some Cooperstown displays	7 Water closets in London
62 Lady of the knight?	2 Cavern phenomenon	8 In a faint
63 Susan of "Baywatch"	3 Grounded birds	9 Gymnast's reward
64 Jamaican hybrid fruit	4 Dream-	10 Some refrigerator
65 Husky load		

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- 11 Word with off or into
- 12 "To be," to Brutus
- 13 Color changer
- 18 Main impact
- 22 Simplicity
- 23 Ill humored
- 25 Type of drive
- 26 Leftover piece of iron
- 27 Monetary unit of India
- 28 Ring around a lagoon
- 29 Move quickly
- 30 Even if, shortened
- 31 Once more
- 32 Singing Carpenter
- 33 Log line
- 35 Butcher's jelly
- 39 Two-year-old
- 42 "Roots," for one
- 44 Senior church official
- 46 Crippling
- 49 Sports building
- 50 Common conjunctions
- 51 Get-up-and-go attribute
- 52 Broken to the saddle
- 54 "\_\_\_ victory!"
- 55 Stravinsky or Sikorsky
- 56 Jumping stick
- 57 Throw the dice
- 58 Mince words?
- 60 Air-traffic agcy.
- 61 Fi fo follower

### The Duplex | Glenn McCoy



### Horoscope | Stella Wilder

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) — Even the slightest alteration in your plans may yield remarkable—and highly favorable—results. Be willing to experiment.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) — It's time to put aside your fears and insecurities and forge ahead with a new project, which has the potential for great success.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) — Prospects are bright, and you have every reason to expect positive developments—even when faced with a sudden slowdown or complication.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) — This is a good day to sit back, relax and get your wits about you once again. You'll enjoy a much-needed emotional second-wind.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — What appears to be one thing will turn out to be something else again entirely—especially where your emotions are concerned.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — You can make a major contribution to the well-being of those around you, and it needn't involve a personal sacrifice of any kind.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Your social calendar will fill quickly, as a result of a sudden increase in popularity. You have much to offer.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Focus on your own potential; do not make the mistake of thinking that you've already done enough. There's a lot on the line.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — This is a good day for fine-tuning your own plans, and preparing for even the most unlikely surprises.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Whereas you may have depended on one other individual, you may have need of an entire team of support for a short while.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20) — You have much to share with those around you—but more important than what you have to offer is what you have to learn if you let yourself.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) — Your flexibility and willingness to take advice and criticism make you an excellent candidate for lasting benefits.

#### LIVE ONLINE

## Marc Fisher

From [washingtonpost.com/liveonline](http://washingtonpost.com/liveonline)

Washington Post Metro columnist **MARC FISHER** was online Thursday to discuss the pandas, slot machines and other topics in the news.

This annual news story of "Are the pandas getting it on?" and "Are they pregnant?" makes the media sound like a bunch of mothers-in-law. Why do we do this every year? Either they'll get pregnant or not. Sheesh.

We all like to watch. I was amazed to see a couple of the local TV stations showing video of the panda mounting his mate, but I guess given the current broadcasting standards, I shouldn't have been surprised. Did it ever cross the zookeepers' minds that maybe the beast doesn't care to be watched as he fulfills his procreative function?

**Major League Baseball** has announced it is going to liven up games by putting ads on the bases. Who could ask for anything more?

Why, oh, why do the lords of baseball insist on making it harder and harder to love the game? Why does the greed of the zillionaires who own sports teams know no bounds? Why are fans ever willing to absorb whatever preposterous overcommercialization is sent our way?

If Pennsylvania passes the slots bill, is the fight over for Maryland?

That's what the pols would love for you to believe. And probably that's what House Speaker Mike Busch will say to defend his latest switcheroo on slots. But if you're really against the idea of government-sponsored slots, then it shouldn't matter if every other state in the nation jumps on the bandwagon.

#### Today on Live Online

**11 A.M.:** Post staff writer Jennifer Frey talks about what finally happened with Ross and Rachel, where the cast members go from here and all your favorite "Friends" moments.

**NOON:** Salah Negm, director of news for Arabic language television station Al-Arabiya, will be online from Dubai to discuss Arab world reaction to prisoner abuse in Iraq.

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